## STONE & THOMAS.

# New Fall Dress Goods!

Thousands of yards of rich new Fall Dress Goods are now on our counters ready for your inspection. Our buyers have been working like beavers for the past three months among the best American and European makers to get this great array of Fall Dress Goods and Silks, It is easy to give you the names of the weaves, to tell of the colors and to quote prices, but not easy to describe the great variety and splendid values. Can we count on a visit from you? We'll take pleasure in showing the stock, and if it merits your patronage we'll be pleased to sell you. If not, we'll thank you for the visit,

#### UNDERWEAR.

Special items bought away under Five cases men's and ladies' Natural Wool Underwear, pearl buttons, silk taped neck, the and that this store usually sells at 75c; they're to be sold at

50c.

#### ANOTHER

is two cases men's heavy Fleece Lined Underwear, a superb quality that you'll agree with us in saying that somebody is not making much money when such goods are sold at

49c.

They will cost you a good deal

#### ANOTHER

is 5 cases children's Ribbed Underwear, heavily fleece lined, taped neck, pearl buttons, all sizes, for bays and girls. Price starts, size 16 at 8c; larger sizes at an advance of 4c a size.

We've been trying to get the best ladies' Fleece Lined Underwear possible to sell at 25c. We think we've succeeded. All the best known makes of underwear are here at department store prices. That means a good deal.

NEW JACKETS.

The Cloak Department is rapidly filling up with the latest wrap ideas as they appear in New York. We're showing ladies' fine Kersey Coats, also Boucle, that are made right, in blue, brown and green, with large storm collar, at

\$4.95.

### ANOTHER

special is ladies' all wool Golf Capes, made of imported double faced cloth in all the new and popular plaid combinations. Our price is

\$9.95.

#### ANOTHER.

We're showing 25 styles of elegant ladies' Coats, made of imported Melton, Broadcloth, Covert, etc., in black, green, brown, tan and royal Many have inlaid velvet collar strap seams and are slik lined throughout. They're the best that money can get and are marked as low as is possible for a cash selling store to sell them. We'll consider it a favor to show

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# Snook & Co.

## **Pleated Liberty Silks**

For Dress Fronts are the newest arrivals in our trimming stock. Some are pleated on rounded lines, others on broken straight lines and both effects are decidedly more pleasing than straight line accordian pleating. The leading colors in two widths, 21 and 26 inches; the wide ones in shaded colorings. When it comes to

#### DRESS TRIMMINGS

in general. There's a stock here which will interest both dress buyers and dress makers-nothing fashionable lacking. Braids and beads from cheapest and plainest to finest and fanciest.

#### VELVETS NO NO NO

in all the new shades. We'll cut them straight or blas as desired. Velutinas and Corduroya also in new fall colors. A great line of

SILKS 34 36 36 which, aside from dress and waist purposes, are also largely used as

trimmings and linings.

#### THAT LINING DEP'T of ours should not escape notice.

No new thing but what will be found in it. For finest costumes use Waterproof Changeable Silk Dress Facings. They come in wide and narrow widths. Investigate "La Forma," the dressmakers' helper. "Alpha" VENTILATING Dress Shields are the only kind to use. Try ball and socket vent fastenings. Skirt linings have less 'rustle" to them. Among the new black Rustle linings are Roman striped "Percasilks." Waist linings come in some very pretty printings on soft grey, cerlse, pea green and violet grounds.

Think we have said enough now to impress you with the fact that our linings and trimmings are fully up to the high standard of our Dress Materials, whether of Silk, Silk and Wool or All Wool.

Watch our five large show windows for the newest and nobbiest Cloaks, Dress Goods, Silks, Household Liuens and Chinaware are displayed in the windows this

## Geo. M. Snook & Co.

FALL HATS-M'FADDEN'S. 



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WHEELING PARK.

Special Attraction.

Grand concert Sunday alternoon at 2:30 by the celebrated Grand Army Hand of Santon, Ohio, M. E. Retskendorff dig c-This fine organization has been heard at the park before under the anapices of the Wheeling Elks, Round trip tickets on the Elm Grove railroad, including admis-sion to the park, only 25 cts.

FALL STOCK OPENING OF C. HESS & SONS.

We have just opened our fall stock, comprising all the new novelties in Satisfus, Trouserings, Francy Vestings and Overcoatings, which we are premared to make up on short notice. The stylish appearance, good, fit, durability and cotife satisfaction of our garments is our reputation. Prices of our Soiting this fall will be \$20.00 and up. Trouserings \$5.00 and up. Gur Gents' Furnishing department is complete. The best goods at lowest prices. Agents for the Famous Jaron Hygienic Underwear.

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#### Water Rent Notice.

To water consumers owing water rent, To water consumers owing water rent.

Notice is hereby given that on October 1, 1887, the water will be shut off
from all consumers, owing two or more
bills. We are now having the entire
city inspected and have found several
hundred hydrants out of repair, and all
must be immediately repaired on recept of a notice delivered by the inspectors, or the water will be shut off.
THE CITY WATER BOARD,
John E. Schellhase, Secretary.

A Graceful Act. "

Before the party that went to San Francisco to witness the presentation to the gunboat,"Wheeling," dispersed yesterday morning, a purse was made up terday morning, a purse was made up with which a handsome testimonial was purchased for Captain W. S. Wright, the genial Pullman conductor, who was with the excursionists from beginning to end. Sheriff Itlehards, acting for the donors, bought a handsome ring and cuff buttons with garnet setting, which was forwarded by express to the gallant captain at Jersey City.

#### Sadler's Great Catch.

Washington Hall Sadier, president of the Island Rod & Gun Club, made a good catch while fishing at the old dock hole, between the two bridges, yester hole, between the two bridges, yester-day morning. "Wash" was fishing in his usual composed manner, when his line began to stretch and, upon landing his prize, be found it to be a salmon, weighing 5½ pounds and measuring 56 inches. Mr. Anton Reymann pur-chased the fish and sent it to Wheeling Park where it was placed in a tank,

The ladies of St. Matthew P.E. Church will have a general meeting of great importance in the bissement of the church, on Salurday at 19 o'clock a. m., September 25, 1897.

It is desired by the Vestry that every lady of the church be present at this meeting, as it is one at which matters of most yital interest to the church will be considered,

## MEET MONDAY

Important Meeting of the Chamber of Commerce.

#### BUSINESS OF GENERAL INTEREST

Will be Considered, Including Representation of Wheeling at the Coming River Improvement Convention in Evansville-President Vance's Letter on this Subject - Work of Preparing for the 1808 Army of West Virginia Reunion to be Begun,

Monday evening at 6 o'clock a special meeting of the chamber of commerce will be held at the chamber's apartments in the Hub building, when importance business will be brought to the consideration of the members. President Quarrier and Secretary Hazlett have called attention to the importance of the meeting and ask for a large and representative attendance.

The committee that went to Columbus recently and secured for Wheeling the 1898 reunion of the Society of the Army of West Virginia will make its report and offer recommendations relative to beginning the work of preparing for the entertainment of the 10,000 to 15,000 people who are expected to come to town for the reunion. The committee believes that this work should be started at once and doubtless a recommendation on that line will be offered Monday night.

The other important matter that will come up is the representation of Wheeling at the third annual convention of the Ohio Valley Improvement Association, which is to be held in Evansville, on October 12. In the last two years this organization has accomplished much in the cause of river improvement and its programme for the future is one that relates intimately to the progress and prosperity of all the communities on the upper Ohlo river-certainly to none more than it does to the greater Wheeling. Slackwater is the motto of the association, and success means a great deal for Wheeling. If no other town on the river were represented at the convention, Wheeling ought to be on hand at Evansville.

Colonel John L. Vance, of Gallipolis, the president of the association, recently sent the following open letter to the secretary of the organization:

Mr. E. P. Wilson, Secretary Ohlo Valley Incorporate Association, Cincinnati. on October 12. In the last two years

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MY DEAR SIR:—As the time approaches for the annual convention of the Ohio Ohio Valley Improvement Association, it is proper to submit to the membership a brief statement of the present conditions brought about by the work already accomplished by the officers of the association. It is my firm conviction that this work has revolutionized public sentiment in regord to the improvement of internal waterways. Instead of looking upon every project of this character with suspicton, the public in all sections of the country has come to regard the systematic plans now in progress with a high degree of favor, it is noted with a marked degree of satisfaction that the work of the Ohio Valley Improvement Association has not been local, sectional or selfish, but has been mapped upon broad lines, from which the benefit to the country at large is already clearly discernable. The release of the Monongahela river, which is now an accomplished fact, abstes a tax which was assessable with great uniformity and regularity upon every consumer of coal from the source of the Ohio to the headwaters and mouth of the Mississiph. The carrying out of the policy of continuous work, and the provision therefor, by wise legislation, is abother land mark in the progress of our association, the benefit of which-will sconer or later be felt at every point on the Ohio.

Hence, it occurs to me to suggest that the work so mapped out by two suggessful conventions, which were held in Cincinnati and Pittsburgh.

JOHN L. VANCE, President.

Mr. Gary the Oldest.

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Sun is authority for the statement that probably the oldest station agent in the country in point of service, is James A. Gary, the postmas ter general of the United States. He was appointed agent at Alberton, Howard county, Md., on the Baltimore & Ohio rallroad, some forty-four years ago, and his name still appears on the pay-rolls of the company. The two oldest Baltimore & Ohio agents are said to be Captain Charles W. Harvey, at Ellicott City, Md., and John W. Howser, at Relay. They have each been in the service thirty-four years. The Baltimore & Ohio has also, in actual service, a passenger conductor, Captain Harry Green, who has run trains between Baltimore and Cumberland for forty-seven years. forty-seven years.

### Instruction in Latin.

Any who wish to begin Latin or wish a first-class tutor in Caesar, Sallust or Virgil can obtain the same by addressing the undersigned, who is a graduate of the Ohio University at Athens, Ohio. References may be obtained from the faculty of that institution.

WM. P. COLLIER,

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#### R. & O. Last Exeuraton.

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On account of the Chicago Marine Band concerts at Seibert's Garden, the Baltimore & Ohio Railrond will sell found trip excursion tickets from Grafton and all intermediate points on next Sunday, September 26, Round trip from Grafton \$1.50; Fairmont \$1.20; Mannington \$1.00; Cameron 60 cents; Moundaville 20 cents. Train leaves Grafton at 6 o'clock a. m., arriving at Wheeling at 10:10 a. m. Returning leave Wheeling at 5 o'clock p. m., giving excursionists an opportunity to hear the afternoon concert.

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IN SUITS, ask to be shown our Heavy All-wool Black Clay Worsted at \$8, \$10.00 and \$12.00, and our Fancy Plaid at \$7.00, \$10.00, \$12.00, \$15.00 and \$20.00.

IN OVERCOATS, ask to be shown our Great All-wool Blue and Black Kersey at \$6.50, our fine Blue and Black Kersey raw edge at \$8.00, and our great leader, the Gayrock, Blue Black and Brown, at \$10.00.

This is by all odds a better coat than some houses are offering at \$15.00. Parties living out of town and wishing to compare this coat with anything offered by any other house, will upon request receive sample swatches of the cloth by return mail. We have others at \$12.00, \$15.00, \$20.00, \$25.00.

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